

Japs Trapped in China

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
ALEX. H. WASHBURN

The Wrong Word

Rents to Be Investigated

Somebody in the United States Employment Service for Arkansas issued at Little Rock this week-end a press release declaring, "An agricultural COMMUNIQUE just issued by..." and thereupon identified the issuer of the COMMUNIQUE as just another of our innumerable army of civilian bureaucrats.

High Tribunal to Hear Case of Eli Collins

LITTLE ROCK — (AP)—The supreme court received Monday an advance for submission June 8 of an appeal by state labor commissioner W. J. McCain from a Pulaski Circuit Court decision upholding Eli W. Collins in his fight against a master as director of the labor department's unemployment security division.

Under normal procedure a decision would be possible June 15. Collins, ousted by the state Merit Council on charges filed by McCain that he violated promotion provision of the merit system, allowed employees to play poker in the offices and himself engaged in betting on horse races.

The department head appointed during the administration of former governor Carl E. Bailey denied the charges flatly and won a lower court decree setting aside the ouster.

Circuit Judge Auten agreed to defer enforcement of the reinstatement order until the supreme court could rule on the case.

Baptist Revival to Close Soon

Sunday night the Rev. Middleton delivered a sermon on "Heaven" to one of the largest crowds that have attended the First Baptist revival. He took his texts from II Corinthians and John. He described heaven as the glorious home of our soul to which we are gradually moving, step by step.

The revival at the First Baptist church is considered by leaders of the church to be highly successful. It continues through Wednesday night with services at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Many members have already been received and interest is running high. The public is invited to all services.

State Dawn Patrol Cuts Annual Tour

CABOT, Ark. (AP)—The Arkansas Dawn Patrol Association is cutting this annual state air tour short this year because the planes are needed to train student pilots, it was announced Monday.

Pine Bluff Business Leaders Dies Sunday

PINE BLUFF — (AP)—C. K. Elliott, 66, retired business leader died unexpectedly Sunday night. With his son he operated several companies in Pine Bluff and was an extensive real estate holder.

Shipping at British home ports in normal years runs between sixty and seventy million tons.

Bulletins

WASHINGTON — (AP)—The Navy announced today that U. S. submarines in the western Pacific had sunk a Japanese destroyer and two cargo ships, one a naval auxiliary.

LAKE WORTH, Fla. — (AP)—A British merchantman was attacked recently in daylight within a mile and a half of the beach by a submarine but the vessel was towed to port.

Explosions startled residents along the coast who gathered to see the ship. Two men in the engine room were killed by a torpedo blast. Thirty others escaped in lifeboats.

LONDON — (AP)—Observers who have seen some of the preparations within the past 3 years believed a British gas offensive on a scale undreamed of in the first war will be this country's swift and terrible answer if Germany resorts to that weapon for a victory in Russia.

Warplanes Raise Coral Sea Toll to 21 Jap Ships

By the Associated Press

The aerial sequel to the battle of the Coral sea raised to 21 the count of Japanese ships destroyed or damaged in a week off Australia. India braced herself for Japanese assaults.

These were the main threads woven over the week-end and Monday into the pattern of the conflict in the south Pacific.

United Nations bombardiers ranging the Coral sea Saturday and Sunday scored bomb hits on a sea-plane tender, a tanker and two submarines. It is possible that the submarines now lie on the bottom.

General Sir Archibald P. Wavell, commander of the British Imperial forces in India, poised three re-organized armies to smush at the enemy pushing northwest through Burma toward India.

The Japanese were still gathering an invasion fleet at Rangoon for a descent on Bengal.

Wavell announced that the 3 army commands in India had been changed from strategic administration bases to fighting headquarters, ready to move wherever the enemy strikes.

Observers at Allied headquarters in Australia stressing the conservatism of total claims against the Japanese expressed the belief that the Washington summary of the sea battle when it is issued might include additional Japanese transport losses.

Sinking of two transports or supply ships and the damaging of two have been listed in communiques from Australia.

New York state prisons are making first-aid stretchers in the war emergency.

U. S. Demands Use of French Martinique Base

BERLIN — (AP)—The German radio broadcasts Vichy dispatches Monday saying the United States had demanded that French warships in Martinique be demobilized and that U. S. garrisons be permitted on the Caribbean island.

The report said the U. S. further demanded that the high commissioner surrender a number of French tankers anchored at Fort de France and hand over command of strategic points.

The French aircraft carrier Bearn and two cruisers have been in the harbor at Martinique since the fall of France.

Answer Expected

WASHINGTON — (AP)—Cichy's possible protest against the arrangement with the U. S. is seeking to negotiate directly with Admiral Georges Robert, French high command at Martinique was expected to be delivered to Secretary Hull Monday by Ambassador Gaston Henry-Haye.

The French ambassador asked for and received an appointment with Secretary Hull for shortly before noon.

There was no definite word from Martinique as to Admiral Robert's reaction to American offer to guarantee the Caribbean possession of France in return for peaceful cooperation in that area.

It was considered possible that Ambassador Henry-Haye when he calls on Hull might be informed that the question affecting Martinique, French Guiana and other points already have been settled with Admiral Robert as the ultimate governing authority of French Caribbean possessions.

Metal mining is conducted in more than half the 29 coun. of Utah.

Conway Enjoys Booms Based on Overflow From Little Rock's Ordnance Plants

Editor's Note: What is the war doing to Arkansas? To get an authoritative answer to this question, The Associated Press asked the editors of the AP member papers. This is another in an exclusive series written by these men from the trenches of the home front.

By FRANK E. ROBINS

Editor

Conway Log Cabin Democrat

CONWAY, Ark. — (AP)—Population of the sedate academic town of Conway has been swollen and the volume of business has risen to heights reminiscent of 40-cent cotton days as a result of the nation's war preparations.

An educational rather than an industrial center, no tall smokestacks have as yet risen in Conway. Nor are any factory whistles heard. But its proximity to three big munitions and military establishments has resulted in scores of new families locating here and many thousands of dollars earned at these plants flowing into Conway trade.

The northwestern corner of the Camp Robinson area extends within eight miles of Conway. The Maunelle ordnance plant, a Marone is only 15 miles away. The big Jacksonville works is within 25 miles of this little city. With no housing facilities provided at March, the thousands of executives and laborers employed there are forced to reside either in Greater Little Rock or Conway, each about equidistant from the plant.

As a result every "hook and cranny" of housing space in Conway is occupied. Nearing completion are 50 units being constructed by the Conway Housing Authority. But for each of these homes already there are on file applications from at least two families. The Chamber of Commerce early in the influx of new residents made a survey of housing accommodations and assisted newcomers in getting located. But officials of that organization weeks ago threw up their hands and declared there was no use trying any longer.

The classified column of the Log Cabin Democrat occasionally carries a "for rent" ad and seekers after places of abode, in the hope of "getting the jump" on competitors have begun to call at the office before the paper is printed to see if homes or apartments are to be advertised that day.

While most of the new inhabitants are connected with the Maunelle plant, Conway merchants also benefit considerably from the Jacksonville payroll. Probably 500 men and women living in the immediate trade territory of Conway are working at Jacksonville and

Travel Bureau Formed Here

The Hempstead County Rationing Board announced Monday that a Travel Bureau has been formed here with the object of encouraging people who plan to motor to other cities in this section to do so by parties rather than individually.

The board announced that those planning a trip, either wishing a seat in someone else's car, or having a car with space to spare, on an expense-sharing basis, should telephone Hope Chamber of Commerce or the Rev. J. E. Hamill.

The board announcement follows:

"Here is how you may do it. There has been organized a Travel Bureau that may help you save the wear and tear on your tires.

"For instance, if you want to go to any place frequently visited from here phone the Chamber of Commerce to know if there is a car going to the place you wish to visit with one or more vacant seats.

"Or maybe you would like to take your car and have the expense divided by others who would want to go to the same place you go, or at least on the same route.

"For further information phone the Chamber of Commerce or the Rev. J. E. Hamill.

"HEMPSTEAD COUNTY RATIONING BOARD"

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School on Corregidor, Japs Pay Tuition



(Official Marine Corps Photo From NEA Telephoto)

A Marine sergeant carefully explains the working of a machine-gun magazine to Filipino soldiers during the gallant defense of Corregidor. These men, if they survived the raids and shell fire, are now prisoners of the Japanese conquerors of the embattled island fortress.

U. S. Colonel Said Captured

TOKYO — (AP)—Domei reported from the Philippine island of Mindanao Monday that Col. Wade Killen whom it described as chief of staff of the Philippine-American forces was captured.

Four defending regiments, it added, fled into the island mountain and jungles leaving their pill boxes when the Japanese pressed a rapid advance on the Cagayan Tagolban front on the north shore.

In Washington the War Department said it had no information on the reported capture of Col. Killen. Its records show that Col. Killen advanced through the ranks from a private to a colonel.

Zanuck Arrives in England

LONDON — (AP)—Col. Darryl Zanuck of Hollywood arrived in London on a military mission, it was announced Monday. Zanuck said he was in Britain as a special observer for the chief of the signal corps of the U. S. Army and would attempt to coordinate British and U. S. army training films.

He added he hoped to establish similar coordination with training films of the Russian army.

The exchange of U. S. and British training pictures already is underway, he said. He held a press conference that he was greatly impressed with the British film of raids along the Norwegian coast and hoped to make films of future similar operations with the U. S. Army.

Deny Loss of Major Ships

WASHINGTON — (AP)—The navy said over the week-end it had received no reports to substantiate loss of a single United States battleship or aircraft carrier in the southwest Pacific naval battle as claimed by Tokyo. The navy issued this communique:

"Reports received in the Navy Department to date fail to substantiate the loss of any United States aircraft carrier or battleship in that action.

"Reports of damage to our forces are incomplete. They will be announced when the information will be without value to the enemy."

Hope Kiwanis Club to Meet

The Rev. James W. Middleton, who is conducting a revival at the First Baptist church will address the Hope Kiwanis club in their noonday luncheon at Hotel Henry Tuesday, the program committee announced Monday.

The Rev. Mr. Middleton, who is a member of the San Angelo, Texas, Kiwanis club, will speak on "O'er the Ramparts We Watch." He will be introduced by Ed Thrash, a member of the church cooperation committee of the local club.

Kiwanis President J. E. Hamill announced Monday that there would be a meeting of the Board of Directors at Hotel Henry Monday night at 6:30 o'clock.

Vichy Says British Halted, Madagascar

LONDON — (AP)—Reuters heard a Paris radio broadcast Monday a report from Madagascar that British forces have come to a standstill and are apparently awaiting arrival of reinforcements.

Reinforcements of Enemy Are Intercepted

CHUNGKING — (AP)—Japanese reinforcements, rushing to the aid of trapped columns of their comrades in western Yunnan province, were intercepted Monday at Che-fang, 25 miles inside China on the Burma road, precipitating heavy fighting, a communique said.

Original Japanese invasion forces—of which the Chinese previously reported they killed 4500—was said to be still surrounded by the Chinese army.

The communique confirmed Japanese reports of the fall of Bhamo, alternate terminal of the Burma road, 170 miles northeast of Mandalay, 250 miles north of Myitkyina.

Striking East of Loilem

The Japanese to the southeast were said to be attacking east of Loilem 125 miles southeast of Mandalay, striking at Kungshin. The communique said the Chinese were resisting stubbornly.

The Japanese striking from Loilem were checked early this month but a second thrust was made May 5 under cover of tanks. This too was repulsed, the communique said. A third attack was made later with plane supported land reinforcements and 800 of the Japanese were declared killed in another defeat.

This indicated another pocket of the Chinese troops in Burma under the general command of Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, U. S., still was fighting strongly in the area through which the Japanese swept swiftly last month in a thrust to take Lashio and Mandalay, and invade Yunnan province.

Japs Reeling Back

Earlier reports indicated the Japanese in Yunnan were lured into a Chinese trap and defender had slaughtered 4500 of the invading troops. The Japanese were reported reeling back from the invasion of China, closely pursued and in peril of annihilation.

14th Producer Brought In

By Special Correspondent

STAMPS—The 14th producer was added to the Midway field Monday when Barnsdall Oil Company brought in its Roberts No. 4 well in Section 14-15-24, LaFayette county.

The test flowed 25 barrels per hour through a quarter-inch choke. Tubing pressure was 700 pounds. Saturation was encountered at 6,353 feet, and total depth was 6,487.

By Special Correspondent

Omitted from Saturday's Edition

STAMPS, Ark. — A 14th producer looms in the new Midway field of LaFayette county, south of Hope, as Barnsdall Oil Company proceeds with completion plans at the Roberts No. 3 section 14-15-24, south side of this field. Plug was to be drilled over the week-end, and a production test is scheduled for Monday. Top of porosity in the Roberts 3 test was 6353 feet. Total depth is 6487 feet.

Other activities in that area include Barnsdall drilling below 5200 feet at the Barney Powell No. 1 section 10-15-24, the Roberts No. 4 section 11-15-24 making hole at 3100 feet, the Roberts No. 5 section 14-15-24 WOC after setting second string pipe to 620 feet. The company's Charles McClain No. 1 section 13-15-24 spudded Thursday and set surface casing to 85 feet.

One new location for the Midway field was announced today by Barnsdall as the Spencer Gunter No. 1 section 5-15-24. Work will begin immediately. Gene Goff, independent, is still shut down at 6000 feet at the Minnie McClain No. 1 section 14-15-24 due to a collapsed casing. Southwood Oil Company continued to wait on road completion to its Hodnett No. 1 location in section 18-15-23.

In the Markie field, south of Stamps, Carter Oil Company drilled ahead at 5200 feet at the Marble location was announced for the Hanes No. 3 section 36-17-23. A new McKameia area this week by Atlantic Refining Company, discoverers of the field, to be known as the Bodcaw Lumber Company No. 10 in section 32-17-23. Roads are being constructed at present. In the Patton field south of Lewisville, Tidewater Associated Oil Company was building roads to its Bendaw No. 1 in section 32-17-24. Acreage is being assembled this week, presumably for a drilling block in section 18-15-23.

Hospital Day on Tuesday

Tuesday, May 12, is National Hospital day and in observance the Julia Chester hospital extends an invitation to local citizens to visit the hospital on South Main street.

National hospital day is sponsored by the American Hospital Association and is intended to remind the public of essential services hospitals perform and how well they have prepared to continue serving communities, twenty-four hours a day, whatever happens.

It is on this day that the public honors the memory of Florence Nightingale, for her tireless efforts in caring for the sick and wounded, to the services of the hospital board members, the doctors and the volunteer workers. Their services are measured in usefulness rather than price.

The Julia Chester hospital has added much new equipment which local citizens are invited to inspect. Visiting hours are from 2 to 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Russians Report Air, Ground Activity

LONDON — (AP)—Russian dispatches reported increased activity on the ground and in the air on the Leningrad front Monday with indication that the Germans might be preparing an assault on the city which has been within range of their artillery for months.

Captain James Cook, the ex-actor, lost his life in a dispute with Hawaiian natives over a stolp figures they charged in March.

OPA Ceiling in Effect Monday

NEW YORK — (AP)—The price ceiling on wholesalers and manufacturers, the first part of the large single task undertaken by the government in the regulation of business, became effective Monday.

Thus under an Office of Production Administration ruling the nation's wholesalers no longer may charge retailers prices higher than list figures they charged in March.

Oil and Gas Filings

LaFayette County

May 8, 1942

Prepared by Eunice Triplett, Lewisville, Ark.

Royalty Deed: 132 Int. (20 royalty acres). Dated March 5, 1942, filed May 8, 1942. C. F. Roulton and wife to Roger B. Owings N 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 2, Twp. 15 S., Rge. 25 West.

Nevada County

Sunday, May 10, 1942

Prepared by Helen Hesterly O. & G. Lease, dated 4-29-42 filed 5-9-42, Dorah Waters et al to H. M. Barnes, E 1/2 SE, Sec. 1, Twp. 14, Rge. 22.

O. C. Deed, dated 4-24-42, filed 5-9-42, E. E. Thompson to Hoyle Marlar, W 2/3 NE SW 1/4 N 1/2 SE SW, Sec. 12, Twp. 14, Rge. 22.

Assign: O. & G. Lease, dated 5-2-42, filed 5-9-42, H. M. Barnes et ux to Atlantic Refining Co., E 1/2 SE, Sec. 1, Twp. 14, Rge. 22.

O. & G. Lease, dated 5-5-42, filed 5-9-42, Lee Barbaree et al to J. B. Benson, N 1/2 NW NE NW, NE SE, NE, Sec. 13-14, Twp. 14, Rge. 23.

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Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following as candidates subject to the action of the Hempstead County Democratic primary election:

Sheriff & Collector
FRANK J. HILL
CLARENCE E. BAKER

County & Probate Clerk
LEO RAY

Tax Assessor
JOHN RIDGILL
W. W. COMPTON
GEORGE F. DODDS

Representative (No. 1)
WILLIAM H. (BILL) ETTER
PAUL M. SIMMS

Representative (No. 2)
EMORY A. THOMPSON

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Nearly twice as many people were killed in home accidents last year as in occupational accidents.

THE PINES

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HOW YOU GET THE

News



THERE'S drama behind every headline these days. American newspapermen are defying death and danger to bring you all the news. Just how you get this news is graphically told in a new book which every reader will want to own. Nothing like it is now available. Watch for this book.

BEHIND THE WAR NEWS

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160 ACRE FARM. 36 ACRES RED river bottom, balance in second bottom. 1 1/2 miles from Fulton. Two houses and barn, and good deep well water. Price \$10 per acre. J. R. Williams. 29-12tp

ALL PINE AND HARDWOOD TIMBER on 420 acres in Hempstead county. Three years to cut at \$6 per thousand. Phone 337, J. R. Williams.

1941 SPECIAL DELUXE, CHEV. rolet business coupe. 12,600 miles. Excellent tires. \$800 cash. Dr. A. C. Nagle. 518 West 5th. Phone 636. 9-3tp

ELEVEN FOOT ELECTROLUX Icebox; practically new. Price \$300. Also one inch pine and oak rough lumber at \$7.50 per thousand at Emmet. J. R. Williams. Phone 337. 6-6tp

PAIR 1100 POUND MARES. Foals in July and August. See W. H. Bryant, Springhill Road. 8-3tp

7-ROOM MODERN RESIDENCE. Large lot. Close in. Reasonable and terms. Call 777. 8-3tp

For Rent

CLOSE IN, ONE-HALF MODERN furnished house. Private front and back entrances. Automatic hot water tank. Bathroom. See Mrs. Tom Carrel. 111 West 3rd. 3-ltc

THREE ROOM GARAGE APARTMENT, furnished, utilities paid. Apply 208 1/2 S. Shover. 8-3tp

2 ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT, with bath. Private entrance, electric refrigerator, bills paid. 705 W. Ave. B. 8-3tp

For Rent

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM, 3 blocks from town. Private conveniences. 116 West Ave. D. 8-3tp

Notice

NOTICE GARDENERS. WE CAN supply Onion Plants in a limited way now. Mont's Seed Store. 11-2tc

In 1859, the University of Toronto leased a large tract of land to the city on a 990-year term for the sum of five shillings annually. Ancient sculptures reveal that the umbrella was in use in ancient Egypt.

Hold Everything



"I conserved paper by not doing my home work last night!"

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Should a bridegroom have the wedding ring engraved with his and the bride's initials and the date of the marriage?
2. If the bride gives the bridegroom a ring, is that also marked with initials?
3. If a summer bride is being married at the city hall or a parsonage, may she wear a street-length white dress and hat?
4. Should a bride who is being married at the city hall wear a long wedding dress and veil?
5. May wedding pictures be taken either before or after the ceremony?

Legal Notice

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That in pursuance of the authority and directions contained in the decretal order of the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, made and entered on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1942 in a certain cause (No. 5722) then pending therein between Willie Ellinburg et al complainants, and Jack Johnson et al, defendants, the undersigned, as Commissioner of said Court, will offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door or entrance of the Court House, in the County of Hempstead, within the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales, on Saturday, the 30th day of May, A. D. 1942, the following described real estate, to-wit: 1942.

The One-third of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 28, Township 13 South, Range 25 West, in all 53-1/3 acres, more or less (all being contiguous), in Hempstead County, Arkansas.

TERMS OF SALE: On a credit of three months, the purchaser being required to execute a bond as required by law and the order and decree of said Court in said cause, with approved security, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date of sale until paid, and a lien being retained on the premises sold to secure the payment of the purchase money.

Given under my hand this 4th day of May, A. D. 1942.

J. B. BYERS
Commissioner in Chancery
May 4-11-18-25

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

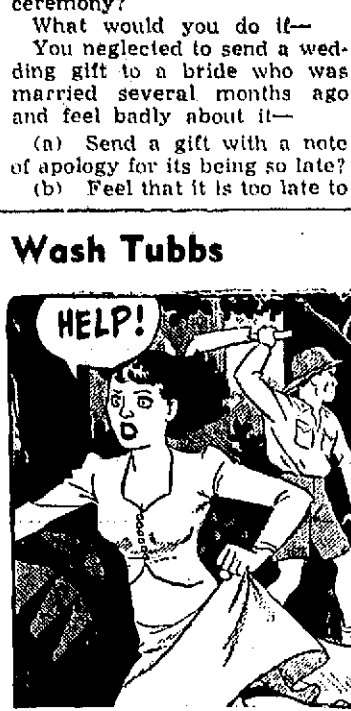


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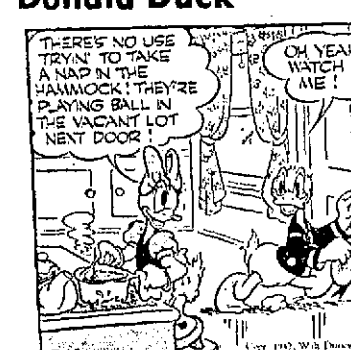
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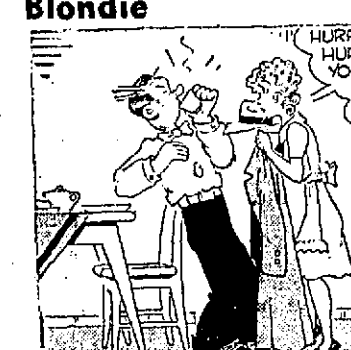
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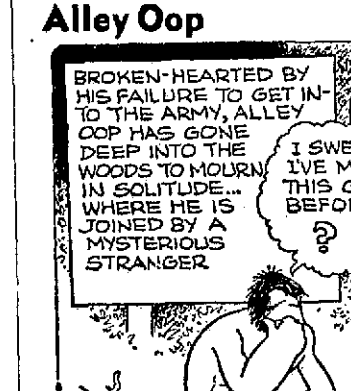
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Freckles and His Friends



Stage Betrothal

Is the Real McCoy

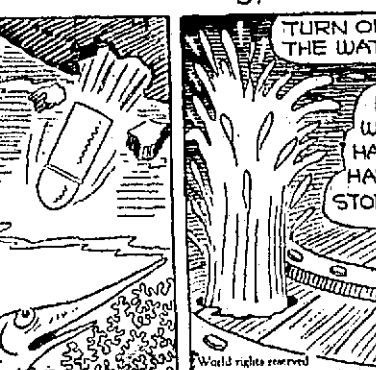
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One Less Jap



Thanks For the Plug, Olive!



Spring Fever!



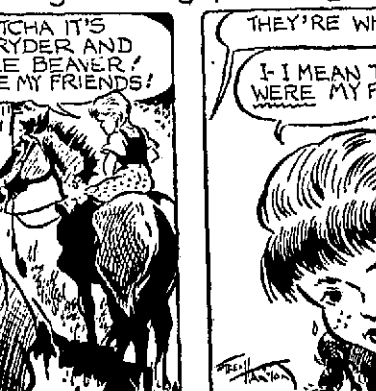
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Strange Doings, Stranger



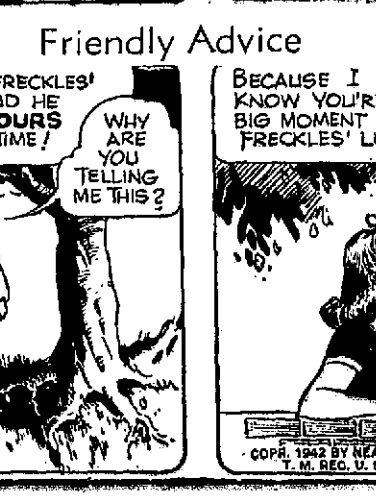
Recognition Dawns



Friendly Advice



By Merrill Blosser



Stage Betrothal

Is the Real McCoy

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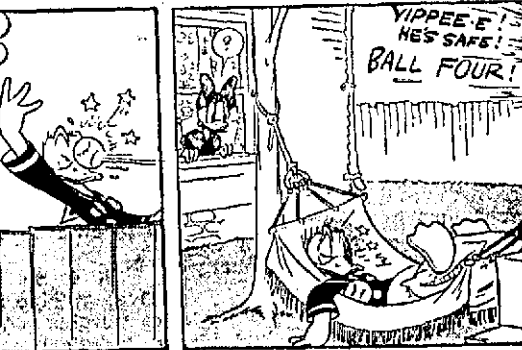
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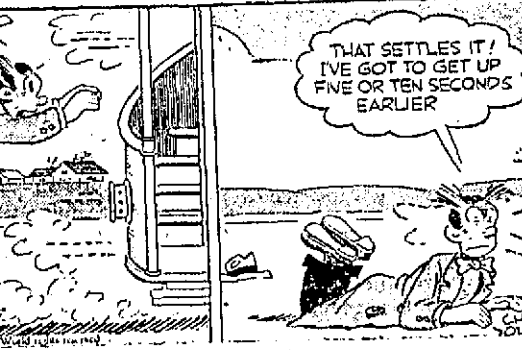
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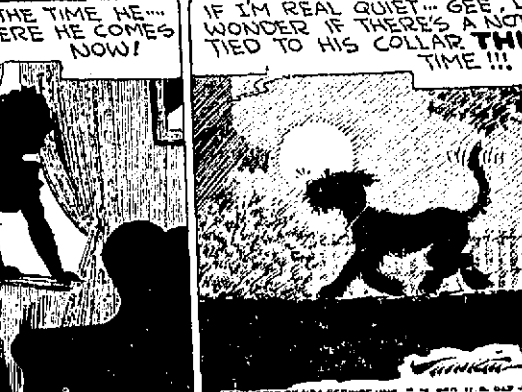
By Walt Disney



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By Edgar Martin



By V. T. Hamlin



By Fred Harman



By Merrill Blosser



SOCIETY

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Social Calendar

Monday, May 11th

The Women's Society of the Christian Service of the First Methodist church will meet at the church, 3 o'clock.

Circle No. 1 of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church, home of Dr. E. L. Chalmers and Miss Mamie Twitchell, 3 o'clock.

Circle No. 2 of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church, home of Mrs. B. E. McMahan, 3 o'clock.

Circle No. 3 of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church, home of Mrs. E. S. Greening, 3 o'clock.

Circle No. 5 of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will not meet until May 18, at 8 o'clock.

Circle No. 1 of the W. M. U. of the First Christian church, home of Mrs. Ted Jones, 3 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 12th

The Junior Church of the First Methodist church will practice at the church, 3:30 o'clock.

The Winsome Class party will not be held until Tuesday, May 19 because of the revival at the First Baptist church.

Wednesday, May 13th

Members of the John Cain chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at the home of Mrs. R. E. Cain, 604 West 3rd street for a pot luck luncheon, 1 o'clock.

Claudia Whitworth becomes the bride of Lt. Ambrose Sunday.

Miss Claudia Louise Whitworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Claude Whitworth of Hope, became the bride of Lt. Jack Sherman Ambrose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Ambrose of Ada, Oklahoma, Sunday afternoon at 5:30 at the First Christian church. The Reverend M. W. Baggett, pastor, performed the impressive double ring ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

The altar was banked with Southern smilax flanked on either side by tall candelabra bearing white candles. Tall floor baskets of calla lilies and fern completed the green and white decorations. Preceding the service, Mrs. Alva Reynerson, organist, presented a program of nuptial music including "I Love You Truly," "Love Sends a Little Gift of Roses," "A Dream," and "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life." Miss Mary Louise Keith sang "Because," and Ted Jones rendered a vocal selection of "A Dawning." The candles were lighted by Martin Pool, Jr.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of white satin made with sweetheart neckline, long bodice and long sleeves ending in points. The train of the skirt had insertions of Chantilly lace. The cap of her veil was a halo of orange blossoms. The veil of illusion ended in a long train over the dress train. Her bouquet was of white rose buds and sweetpeas with showers of stephanotis.

Mrs. Frank B. Kirk, serving her sister as matron of honor, wore a model of sheer pink organdie over

taffeta; and the bridesmaids, Miss Edith Knight of Sparkman, Mrs. Weldon Glass of Texarkana, Miss Josephine Morris, and Miss Hattie Anne Feild, wore formal afternoon gowns of organdie over taffeta in pastel shades and Juliet caps of organdie and shasta daisies.

The flower girls, little Misses Joe Beth Rettig and Katherine Louise Hayes of Sparkman, wore dresses of pink and blue organdie. Daisies ornamented their hair and they carried baskets of white rose petals.

Kenneth B. Ambrose, Jr. of Sherman, Texas served his brother as best man. The ushers were George W. Warm, Dr. A. L. Hardage, James William Cantley, and Benjamin Norwood.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony. All-white flower arrangements were used throughout the reception rooms.

Mrs. Whitworth, the bride's mother, dressed in an afternoon dress of beige embroidered linen, and a corsage of pink sweetpeas, and the bridegroom's mother, who wore a navy net dress with a corsage of Dutch iris, received informally with members of the wedding party.

The dining table was covered with a white lace cloth and the three tiered cake, which centered the table was placed on a mirror plaque, circled with white rose buds and fern. Assisting in serving were Mrs. George Ware, Miss Kathleen Rhodes, and Miss Mary Louise Keith.

Miss Shirley Smith of Little Rock, cousin of the bride, was in charge of the bride's book.

Mrs. J. J. Battle of Fulton, Mrs. Martin Pool, Miss Mamie Twitchell, and Mrs. Ponzie Moses further assisted dispensing hospitality.

After the reception, Lieutenant and Mrs. Ambrose left by motor for Phoenix, Arizona, where Lieutenant Ambrose is stationed at Luke Field as an instructor. The bride traveled in an ensemble of tulle and tulle printed crepe with a tan linen jacket. Her hat was of tan straw. At her shoulder was pinned a corsage of gardenias.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Ambrose of Ada, Oklahoma, parents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hynes of Sparkman, Mrs. Joe J. Battle and Miss Josephine Thompson of Fulton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hargis of Okay.

The rehearsal dinner for principals of the Whitworth-Ambrose nuptials was given by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pool and Mrs. Colyer Cox Saturday evening in the main dining room of the Barlow.

A red and white color scheme was carried out in the appointments. For the centerpiece an effective arrangement of red radishes and stephanotis in a white bowl was placed on a circular mirror plaque outlined with garlands of maiden hair fern. The chosen theme was further carried out in the nut cups and place cards.

A miniature bride and a corsage marked the place of Miss Claudia Whitworth, Mrs. H. C. Whitworth and Mrs. Kenneth E. Ambrose also received corsages.

A delectable five-course dinner was served the following guests: Miss Whitworth, Lt. Ambrose, Mrs. H. C. Whitworth, Mrs. Kenneth E. Ambrose of Ada, Okla., Mrs. B. L. Rettig, the Reverend and Mrs. William Baggett, Miss Mary Louise Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jones, Miss Hattie Anne Feild, James William Cantley, Mr. and Mrs. George Ware, Mrs. Alva Reynerson, Miss Josephine Morris, and Mrs. Weldon Glass of Texarkana, Mrs. Charles Hayes and Miss Edith Knight of Sparkman, Mrs. Frank Kirk of Dallas, and the host and hostesses.

Another lovely pre-nuptial party honoring Mrs. Jack Ambrose, who was Miss Claudia Whitworth before her wedding at the First Christian church Sunday afternoon, was the breakfast Sunday morning at the Barlow given by Mrs. Weldon Glass of Texarkana.

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Briarcliff roses ornamented the circular table. The arrangement centered a large mirror.

Marking the place of the honoree was a lovely gift. At the party Miss Whitworth presented her bridesmaids and matron of honor with single strands of pearls.

Guests selected for the occasion by Mrs. Glass included the honoree, Mrs. H. C. Whitworth, Mrs. Kenneth E. Ambrose of Ada, Okla., Mrs. Frank Kirk of Dallas, Miss Hattie Anne Feild, Miss Josephine Morris of Texarkana, Miss Mary Louise Keith, Miss Edith Knight of Sparkman, Miss Nell Williams, and Mrs. Lamar Cox.

Personal Mention

Miss Nell Louise Broyles of Henderson State Teachers' college, Arkadelphia, was home for the Mother's Day week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Broyles.

Mrs. Fred Tate of Detroit, Mich., is spending a few days in the city with her sister, Mrs. Dolphus Whitten, Jr., and Mr. Whitten.

Hamilton Hanagan and Ambrose Hanagan motored to Shreveport Sunday to spend Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. A. F. Hanagan, who is a patient at the Tri-State hospital. They were accompanied by Misses Ruth Taylor and Bertha Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Young and son, Kinard, spent the week-end at Hendrix college with their son, E. P. Young, Jr. Mrs. Frank Ward motored up with the Youngs to see her son, James Hannah, also a student at Hendrix.

Sgt. John Clyde Hill of Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., finance division, was home for the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Waddle of De Ridder, La., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Waddle. Sunday they drove to Magnolia to see the Howard Waddles.

Dorsey McRae, Jr., has returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tarpley and daughter, Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller, and Miss Florine Miller were in Morrilton for the week-end. While there they were guests at a family reunion.

Mrs. P. D. Smith of Dallas is the house guest of Captain and Mrs. R. A. Boyett.

Misses Wanda and Zilpha Keith spent Saturday in Little Rock.

The Reverend and Mrs. Jim Brewer of Augusta are the parents of a little son born Saturday, May 9.

The new arrival, the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Higginson, has been named Richard Hall Brewer.

Mrs. H. C. Houston has returned from Waco, where she spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Cargile, and Mr. Cargile.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baker of Sherman, Texas announce the arrival of a little daughter, Katherine Ann, on Saturday, May 9.

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FRANTIC WEEKEND
By EDMUND FANCOTT

HAPPY LANDING
CHAPTER XXIII

BALDY stirred in his sleep, brushed the handkerchief from his mouth, and sat up with all the alacrity of an anemic hippopotamus. The sun was warm, his nap had been pleasant, and he felt lazily prepared to cope with any and all conspiracies against him.

As for Peggy, now—
He looked around for her. No Peggy. No canoe. No one, a shambling search revealed, on the island. The lake was annoyingly calm under a noon sun, with no sign of life on any of its shores, no one on the wharf.

Not pleasant to Baldy the crafty, Baldy the shrewd, was the teasing thought that Peggy had doubled-crossed him. All the while she had been pretending to work with him. And all the while she had been plotting with that bunch of deadheads. The little so-and-so! I'll give her a chance, he thought viciously. I'll give her a chance to break her nasty little neck, and that's all.

Fay . . . ah! he thought sorrowfully. She'd never have done this to him. No, it was the others. After all he had done for Fay, she'd never have the nerve to do this to him. But by the saints, he'd get even with those others if he had to take that little so-and-so to New York and break her spirit!

As time wore on and he got hungrier, his thoughts became progressively blacker. Eventually they reached the murderous stage as he paced hungrily around the confined island. He was hotter and hotter as the afternoon grew heavy with humidity and little trickles of perspiration glistened on his bald head. He began to speak his thoughts aloud. Fortunately, only the trees were within range of his mutterings.

AT last he saw a lone figure on the wharf and then a canoe wobbling dangerously as someone paddled toward the island.

Baldy stopped his muttering and stared. It was the sister! He groaned as he thought of Myra's skill with a canoe and shuddered at the thought of the waterfall they had nearly died on.

As the canoe came nearer, Myra steered it with dangerous incompetence toward the island.

"I've brought you some sandwiches and a bottle of beer," she said cheerfully, without any attempt at explanation. Baldy forgot about explanations. The sight of food and drink was like a beacon to a shipwrecked sailor. He caught the edge of the canoe and stepped in.

Metal mining is conducted in more than half the 29 counties of Utah.

Tip-Top Tap



Tapping to tune of machine gun fire, film star Ann Miller hangs up record of 840 taps a minute but thinks she has a kick coming because she couldn't make it 850.

Presbyterian Men to Meet Tuesday

The regular monthly supper meeting of the Presbyterian Men of the Church will be held Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m.

The special speaker will be Dr. M. A. Boggs, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Little Rock. All of the men of the church are urged to attend.

Immediately preceding the supper, the elders of the church will meet in the Philathea room for a business meeting. They are asked to assemble at 7 p. m.

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Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

Wake Island Epic

HOLLYWOOD — The movie that has finally got around to a war picture in which the hero or the second male lead is not a coward or a rat or a moral weakling whose regeneration is accomplished in the eighth reel by a crisis in combat.

This epic novelty is Paramount's "Wake Island", and it comes so close to being documentary that the original story is being credited to the U. S. Marine Corps. The ending comes in a welter of death and noise and the scuttling advance Japanese. There is no climactic of more and more and still more triumph beyond the establishment of another bright chapter of the gallantry of American arms.

They're shooting the picture at Salton Sea, and a more realistic and unpleasant location couldn't have been found. This watery waste roughly 15 by 40 miles, once was spilled into California's southern desert from a Colorado river development and lies 224 feet below ocean level. A sand-bearing half-gale blows most of the time, and cameras have to be elaborately shielded to keep lenses from being pitted. After a few days of desert heat and flying grit, actors and crew look as tough as the 60 real Leathernecks stationed in the region.

Some Were There

Of the Marines who are assisting in the picture, 16 were on duty on Wake Island and were transferred back to the mainland only a few days before the war's outbreak. And the contracting company which was in charge of construction projects on the Pacific outpost has built the camp at Salton Sea. Besides the tent houses and other buildings, some of which were erected to be destroyed by bombing, a practical airport has been built and will be turned over to the government after the filming.

The day I visited the location was not good for much besides crouching in the lee of trucks or tents and trying to keep the sand out of our eyes. The action was confined to a shallow beach emplacement where Robert Preston and William Bendix were manning a machine gun and waiting to repel a Japanese landing party. After some discussion of the ammunition situation and reminiscences regarding a blond in San Francisco, they settled down to shooting.

Few Flopped

A couple of hundred Filipinos had been hired, at \$10.50 a day, to play Japanese soldiers. Now, after a few false starts, two boats full of them rounded the end of a wrecked pier and bore in toward the shore. Under a hail of fire, they jumped out in shallow water and began wading.

"Hey!" yelled Myra, "Don't do that!"

She was too late. She was in the water, so was Baldy, so was the food and the beer, the beer at the bottom of the lake and the sandwiches disintegrating slowly. Baldy groaned and floundered ashore with Myra who dragged the canoe with her and emptied the water with difficulty.

Baldy sat down and held his head in his hands, his sports suit dripping around him shapelessly.

"Now," said Myra, "step in carefully this time."

"No," said Baldy. "Not if I have to live here the rest of my life! I ain't going to risk going over those falls again . . . or drowning in the middle of this lake. I can't swim."

"Too bad," said Myra. "What are you going to do?"

"You try and get back and send someone who can work one of those things."

"All right," Myra spoke quite cheerfully, but with a lurking smile in her eyes. "It might take some time."

An hour later the bedraggled Baldy climbed up the path to the house with Ferdie. They passed the rocky and Baldy's neck went red with a sudden desire to commit murder when he caught a view of Peggy suddenly releasing herself from the arms of Nigel.

She ran to meet him. "Oh, Baldy," she cried. "Did they only just get you? They said they'd go right after lunch."

Baldy eyed her with a glittering hatred. "You little . . ." Then he paused as he saw Nigel's fist close significantly.

Peggy's eyes warned him to keep quiet.

"I've fixed everything," she said. "Not a word."

She pushed Nigel back and walked with a suspicious Baldy.

"I've got a new idea. I've fixed everything," said Peggy confidently. "Maybe you weren't born in a large family like I was. If you were you'd know that when they get tough the only thing to do is to string along with them for awhile and then get your own way later. It is the easiest way in the end."

"So what?" grumbled Baldy rudely.

"You go and change and I'll be waiting for you with a Collins," she said.

"Make it three, and six sandwiches," he growled.

A LITTLE later Baldy emerged in a suit and loose jacket in a pale rose shade, beautifully pressed, with a shirt of deeper hue, almost maroon, as a final im-

probable touch.

Baldy took a deep draught at one of the four glasses in front of him and bit deep into a sandwich. His eyes did not meet those of Peggy, who sat deep in a chair swinging one leg over the arm.

"It's this way," said Peggy. "You've got to handle families gently. So I thought if I became engaged to Nigel . . ."

"That's not a mutt! He's terribly strong too," said Peggy. "But that isn't the point. If I became engaged to Nigel the family would think I was settled and then when he went overseas I could come down to New York . . ."

Baldy took a long drink and tackled another sandwich.

"Then I thought," continued Peggy, "that if Mike proposed to Fay and they were engaged she would be in the family and I could persuade her when he went overseas to come with me back to New York."

Baldy sneered at the thought of a topline like Fay Ransom mixing it with a mere lieutenant.

"So I suggested to Mike that he should drive her into Montreal by himself and at least try . . ."

Baldy sat up as if shot.

"She's gone? Where's she gone?" Peggy soothed him by pushing the third drink invitingly nearer.

"They drove away about an hour ago, just the two of them . . ."

She paused while a hint of apologetic crimson darkened Baldy's neck and then spread over his domelike head. He gulped the third drink and grabbed the fourth.

"But I've got the best idea of the lot to bring it all in the family. Daddy couldn't very well object to me being managed by a son-in-law . . ."

Baldy got up and looking at Peggy queerly, he backed away. Peggy rose from her chair and followed him.

"So I thought if you proposed to Myra . . ."

She stopped suddenly. Baldy had turned and was disappearing rapidly. Myra came into the room.

"I've found a husband for you," said Peggy with an eager smile. "Isn't it wonderful, at last!"

Myra's lips tightened to an unamused line. She glared at her young sister, green eyes bright and cheeks flushed with excitement.

"Hear that car?" said Myra. "That's Baldy getting out as quick as he can. Get your things packed. We're going before you try to marry Ferdie off to his aunt!"

Peggy was unperturbed. "Isn't it wonderful?" she murmured. "We'll be driving back in Nigel's car."

THE END

Baby Bunting--- Hawaii Model



When daddy goes a-hunting for Japs, baby back home in Hawaii is kept safe against gas attacks by this new "bunny mask" hood. Picture is one of first radio-photos direct from Honolulu to U. S.

at Prince's until the following spring.

The Same Old D'Oyly Carte

By RUSSELL LANDSTROM
Wide World Features

LONDON—Like the grief-ridden but eventually triumph heroes of the comic operas themselves, the durable D'Oyly Carte company has prevailed against color and adversity to continue regaling wartime British audiences with Gilbert and Sullivan.

Neither blitzkrieg nor bad weather, the dislocation of travel facilities nor enlistment, costume rationing nor food shortage has put any real crimp in the show. And after completing another swing around the provinces the company returns to London in June for a long stay.

It will be no ordinary revisiting of the capital this time, for the troupe is going into Prince's theater, seat of its great glowing quest soon after the end of the last war. Many Londoners are now calling to remember September of 1919, when the city witnessed what amounted to the rebirth of the D'Oyly Carte company here.

'Twas New to London
Except for occasional suburban performances there hadn't been a London season of Gilbert and Sullivan's airy mimeries since the Nineties. It was a step into jeopardy made more hazardous by the circumstances that Prince's theater is unusually large and that only provincial and suburban audiences really knew the company.

The response, however, was as unexpected as it was welcome. The opening was akin to a Hollywood debut. "Just like the fair," remarked one who saw the lines of people hopeful day after day of getting seats. The company played

at Prince's until the following spring.

Schedule Nearly Intact

This time the D'Oyly Carte company is bringing all but four of the Gilbert and Sullivan repertory—"Ruddigore," "Pinafore," "Princess Ida" and "The Sorcerer"—because of currently irreplaceable materials lost in air raids, and in spite of the loss of 20 to 25 persons to the armed services.

Prompt to appreciate the morale value in the company's contributions, governmental agencies have lent a hand in smoothing its wartime way. Thus at least partly relieved of worry, the company has been able to prevent a lowering of artistic standards. Before official assistance was given it was not an uncommon experience for the company to arrive in town and find not a scrap of food obtainable.

At Savoy Last Year

Apart from brief vacations at summer's end the company has carried on since outbreak of the war. Only once, in 1940, was the London season omitted from the schedule. Last year's two-month engagement at the Savoy theater was one of the city's foremost theatrical adventures.

By official request the itinerary has included all the badly blitzed areas. Visits were intended especially to counteract war nerves. The company has been in these regions when they were under heavy fire, performing amidst death and destruction in bomb-damaged theaters.

The company expects to remain in London until late August, and after a short rest strike out into the provinces again. Beyond that the ensemble has one great hankering to revisit the United States after the war. The last D'Oyly Carte appearance in the States was in 1938.

MURFREESBORO, Tenn. — To the world she is Mrs. Douglas MacArthur, courageous wife of America's favorite hero. But to the home folks in Murfreesboro she's just Miss Jean, a girl who was never proud to be a friend to everybody—black or white.

As Jean Marie Faircloth, the present Mrs. MacArthur is remembered by most of the 10,000 inhabitants of this southern college town as a vivacious, dark-haired girl with sparkling eyes and a yen for travel.

"About all we ever see of Miss Jean is her coatails," grumbles her old black "Mammy," Matilda Dromgoole, who frets considerably nowadays about the safety of her former charge.

Southern Hospitality
"She's

Properly Cooled Milk and Cream Is Important

Properly cooling milk and cream on the farm is the most important step in preserving the high quality brought about by proper handling.

Legal Notice

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
Proposed by the General Assembly and filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the 27th day of March, 1941.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: A MAJORITY OF BOTH HOUSES AGREEING THERETO: THAT THE FOLLOWING IS HEREBY PROPOSED AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND THE SAME BEING SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTIONS OF THE STATE FOR APPROVAL OR REJECTION AT THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION FOR SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES, IF A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTIONS VOTING THEREON ADOPT SUCH AMENDMENT, THE SAME SHALL BECOME A PART OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, TO-WIT:

Section 1. Whenever in any county where there is located a public hospital owned by such county or by any municipal corporation therein, whether such hospital be operated by such county or municipal corporation or by a benevolent association, as the agent or lessee of such county or municipal corporation, one hundred or more electors of such county shall file a petition with the county judge asking that an annual tax on real and personal property in such county be levied for the purpose of maintaining, operating and supporting such hospital and shall specify a rate of taxation not exceeding one mill on the dollar of the assessed value of real and personal property in the county. The question as to whether such tax shall be levied shall be submitted to the qualified electors of such county at a general election. Such petition must be filed at least thirty days prior to the election at which it will be submitted to the voters. The county judge upon the filing of such petition shall notify the county board of election commissioners thereof and the county board of election commissioners shall cause the question to be placed upon the ballot in substantially the following form:

FOR a mill tax on real and personal property to be used for maintenance, operation and support of a public hospital.

AGAINST a Mill tax on real and personal property to be used for maintenance, operation and support of a public hospital.

Section 2. The election commissioners shall certify to the county judge the result of the vote and if a majority of the qualified electors voting on the question at such election vote in favor of the tax, then it shall thereupon be continuously levied and collected as other general taxes of such county are levied and collected. The result of the election shall be proclaimed by the county judge by publication for one insertion in some newspaper published and having a bona fide circulation in such county. The result so proclaimed shall be conclusive unless attacked in the courts within thirty days and after the election it shall not be competent to attack the result thereof on the ground that any signers of the petition were not qualified electors. The proceeds of any tax so voted shall upon the settlement of the collecting officer be paid by the treasurer of the county to the treasurer of such hospital to be used by such treasurer in the maintenance, operation and support of such institution, provided that any county where there is located a public hospital shall be more than one hospital maintained to receive the proceeds of such tax, the quorum court at its meeting for the purpose of adopting the county's budget, shall provide for the apportionment of the proceeds of said tax between the institutions so qualified according to the respective needs.

Section 3. Whenever one hundred or more electors of any county having a hospital tax in force shall file a petition with the county judge asking that such tax be raised, reduced or abolished, the question shall be submitted to the qualified electors at a general election. Such petition must be filed at least thirty days prior to the election at which it will be submitted to the voters. The petition shall follow, as far as practicable, the form set out in Section 1 hereof, and the result shall be proclaimed and shall be conclusive in like manner. The tax shall be lowered, raised or abolished as the case may be, according to the majority of qualified electors voting on the question at such election, provided, however, that it shall not be raised more than one mill on the dollar. If lowered or raised the reduced tax shall thereafter be continuously levied and collected and the proceeds used in the manner and for the purposes provided in Section 2 hereof.

Section 4. This amendment shall itself existing and shall become a part of the constitution of the State of Arkansas when approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon at the next general election.

Witness my hand and Seal this 11th day of April, 1942.

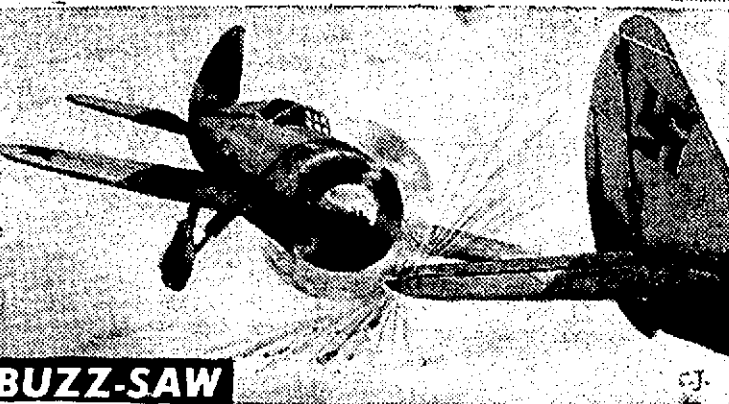
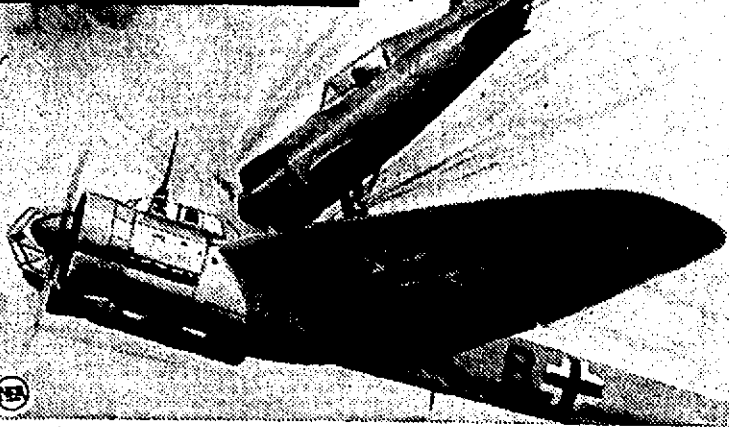
C. G. HALL,
Secretary of State.

Ramming: Doughty Russians' New Air-Fighting Technique

CLIP-AND-RUN



CRACKER-UPPER



BUZZ-SAW

A new kind of aerial warfare is being fought high in the skies over Soviet Russia today. No longer is a dog fight between enemy planes over when both sides run out of ammunition. Red Air Force pilots have worked out three systems of attack, sketched above, to knock out Nazi bombers after all ammunition has been fired.

The "Clip and Run, least dangerous to the attacking pilot, but one of the most difficult to maneuver, involves making slight contact with enemy's wing or tail with attacker's own wing.

Simplest, but most dangerous to attacking pilot, is the "Cracker-Upper." This attack is a direct ramming of the enemy ship.

"The Buzz-Saw" is one of the surest, requires consummate flying skill. In this gun-less attack, fighter pilot noses up behind enemy, slices vital part of enemy fuselage—stabilizer and rudder, for example—with his propeller.

Soviet pilots have used all three systems with excellent results, losing few of their own planes. Success depends on pilot's skill in dropping away from rammed enemy plane a split second after contact, thus avoiding becoming tangled up in falling enemy wreckage.

ing, according to Oliver L. Adams, county agent.

Because bacteria develop many times more rapidly at high temperature than at low temperature, milk and cream should be cooled immediately and held at a low temperature. It costs no more to cool immediately and hold at a low temperature. It costs no more to cool immediately, the county agent said, and it results in a product of higher quality.

Water is the most common cooling agent used on Hempstead county farms. Spring or well water will not cool dairy products to as low a temperature as it should be, but will assist materially in improving the quality. To obtain rapid, efficient cooling there should be about three times as much water in the tank as there is milk in the cans.

Where water alone is used, it is best to run water from the well to stock tanks through the milk-cooling tank. The water should be deep enough in the tank to reach the neck of the can.

The smallest container for holding water for cooling milk is one-half of a 50-gallon wooden barrel, the county agent said. A somewhat smaller container for cooling cream may be used, depending on the volume of cream.

Concrete milk cooking tanks are the most economical and satisfactory where more than one can of milk is produced daily. This tank should be located where the water can be used after it has removed the heat from the milk. Where ice or mechanical refrigeration is used

the concrete should be insulated. The increased income from quality milk and cream would pay for the construction of milk-cooling equipment on all farms, the county agent declared.

Guernsey 4-H Club Meets

Guernsey 4-H Club met Tuesday May 5 at the school house with 38 members present. Chess Pittman president of the club, directed a discussion on how the club could contribute most to the county-wide Rally day program which is to be held at the City Hall Friday May 8.

The club members decided to sponsor the 4-H Victory pledge as their contribution to the Rally Day Program. Club members that are taking part in the program include Chess Pittman, Lindell Thompson, Charles Thompson, Buddy McIver and Clifford Cox.

After Rally Day plans were completed the club voted to continue its regular 4-H club meetings throughout the summer. The first Wednesday night in each month was the date set for club meetings.

Remains of the so-called Java ape-man are considered to be 500,000 years old.

Some scientists divide mankind into groups of the woolly-haired, wavy-haired and straight-haired.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"My wife used to buy out a whole store in one afternoon before this 'carry your bundles and help national defense' idea came along."

Painting Helps Appearance, Prolongs Life

Painting not only improves the appearance of farm buildings, but prolongs their life from 23 to 46 per cent, according to Oliver L. Adams, county agent.

Cautioning farmers against the use of cheap paint, the county agent pointed out that about two-thirds of the cost of a paint job is labor. Consequently, he said, the use of low-grade paints results in a waste of both labor and money.

Under normal conditions, he said, money can be saved by mixing paint on the job. But this year, in view of the fact that few, if any, dealers are carrying packaged white lead in stock, farmers will have to use ready-mixed paints.

It is usually possible to check the contents of a paint mix by reading the label, the county agent said. To be really durable, house paints should contain not less than 60 per cent pigment and not more than 40 per cent liquid by weight. The formulas should not have excessive amounts, or high percentages, of low-grade and transparent pigments and liquids.

The county agent said that most paint manufacturers make second—and third—grade competitive paints to meet the demand of "bargain" buyers, who consider low price instead of durability.

AEF Takes a Tough Job

By TOM WOLF
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WITH THE U. S. ARMY FORCES Newfoundland Base Command on "It's so bare in Newfoundland that even the rabbits pack up lunch to take out with them."

That about sums up the impression of Newfoundland which most officers and men of the U. S. Army brought with them to this island outpost. Some of them who have lived here for a while haven't changed their minds.

But like most stories about the country, and the "Newfies," as Americans call the natives, there contains much fiction as well as much truth. Life on this 43,000-square mile strategic island, bastion athwart the northern route for invasion of the Western Hemisphere, is a series of paradoxes.

The very location of this stopper in the lower St. Lawrence basin presents a geographic paradox. It is North America's closest approach to Europe—which from here seems so far, yet is so near. Of all U. S. Army bases overseas, this one is the nearest to home—which seems so near, yet is so far.

There is a further paradox in the posts themselves. Bases which will rank among the world's most modern cities are springing up with the speed of Jack's beanstalk in the midst of an isolated, poverty-stricken land.

Because no two posts here are alike—either in location, job, or degree of completion—few generalizations will hold true for all American troops stationed here. Those that do are readily summed up:

Physically the men are comfortable. Even the temporary barracks here would shame some of the more permanent ones in the states. The food is plentiful, though the prevalence of tuberculosis among the native herds restricts the fresh milk supply, and fresh vegetables are the exception rather than the rule. The clothing issued to the troops is unsurpassed—for quality, quantity and warmth (important in a cold, damp climate)—in any of the world's armies. The men are also healthy. (It seems to many that you get a needle shot in the arm every time you turn around.)

The soldiers' universal gripe up here concerns the lack of an place to go or anything to do in spare time. Each post has some sort of canteen and movie theater, but in most cases other means of recreation are simply non-existent.

Beyond these few things, it is impossible to generalize. Life varies as much within one post as it does between them. One soldier described the new, glibly conditioned, permanent barracks which have risen in the rocky valleys of the Avalon Peninsula, as "the best damned hotel I ever stayed in." They are ultramodern two-story buildings whose grey-white exteriors blend into the snow which terraces the stark spruce and balsam-covered hills behind them. They provide the last word in comfort. Grace and light. Kitchens boast such modern gadgets as pressurecookers. Spacious "day rooms" provide radios, pool tables, papers and magazines galore.

Yet troops that one day are living in this luxury may the next day be living, eating, and sleeping at the guns. For these men, life has all the hardships of the front line trenches, where, in truth, they are meaning 24 hours a day.

The hardness of life for some, the lack of recreation for all, is counteracted by the fact that the men haven't much time to sit around and think about it. They are busy at serious work. You get an idea of the importance of this island outpost by remembering that it was the first overseas base ever occupied by American troops in time of peace.

Today the men have constant reminders on every hand that they are not here for pleasure—whether it be the planes overhead, the practice fire of defense guns, a hole in the side of a merchant ship or merely the snort and chatter of builders' pneumatic drills, steamshovels, bulldozers, hammers and saws as workmen race against time to help make this island impregnable.

Life here is no picnic. Much of

Prescott News

By HELEN HESTERLY

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Miss Hamby's Engagement Announced Sunday

Mayor and Mrs. Randolph P. Hamby of Prescott announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Isabelle, to John Love Wathen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wathen of Dallas, Texas. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

The bride-elect is a member of a prominent family of Arkansas's early settlers. She is the granddaughter of the late Captain and Mrs. Charles Edward Royston of Washington, and the late Colonel and Mrs. C. C. Hamby of Prescott. She is a great-granddaughter of Gen. Gradison D. Royston, president of the Constitutional Convention of 1874. Miss Hamby is a graduate of Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia.

Mr. Wathen is a graduate of Rice Institute of Houston and is connected with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company of Dallas.

Progress Report for Peanut Program

According to Oscar B. Holt, county administrative officer, 561 farmers have gotten enough peanut seed to plant 2,169 acres. This represents a total of 127,655 pounds of peanuts or 4,235 bushels. These are the figures at the close of business as of May 4, 1942. There are approximately 80,000 pounds of seed on hand for future deliveries to farmers in Nevada county. This amount is all that can be secured and will be delivered on the basis of first come first served.

Society

Mrs. Hartwell Greeson spent Sunday in Conway with her daughter Carrie Jane who attends Hendrix College.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waters of Camden were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Waters.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Hesterly spent Sunday in Conway with their son, Charles, who attends Hendrix College.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Porter had as their week-end guests, Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Reese of Hot Springs.

Mrs. Caylor Cox of Hot Springs spent Friday here with Mrs. Orrin Ellsworth.

Misses Mary Sue Gordon, Carolyn Ella Murrell, Maude McDaniel and Eloise Hudson, students of Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia, were the week-end guest of their parents.

Mrs. J. W. Teeter spent Mother's Day in Conway with Betty and John Teeter, students of Arkansas State Teachers College.

Calendar

Tuesday, May 12th
The Rotary Club will meet at the Broadway Hotel, 12:15 o'clock.

Thursday, May 14th
The P. T. A. will meet at the Junior High school, 3:30 o'clock.

Edson in Washington

CCC Loses Caste With Congressmen

WASHINGTON — The way government agency can be a hero today and a heel tomorrow was never better illustrated than in the case of the Civilian Conservation Corps, the well and once so favorably known CCC. Three or four years ago, no one had enough praise for the CCC, but today there seem to be about as many hot shots in the Congress as there are in the CCC. The CCC has camps, the latter number being around 600.

If you want to make a little side bet, just lay a buck or so that before very long there will be more statesmen clamoring for restoring or enlarging the CCC than there are now clamoring in the name of economy for its discontinuance. These yells for building up the CCC again are apt to come when the forest fire season gets going good and there won't be enough CCC boys available to help put out the conflagrations. The second series of yells will in all likelihood come from farm belt congressmen when they find out from their constituents that CCC soil erosion and conservation projects are being discontinued by the hundreds.

The story of how the CCC was exiled to the dog house is one of those things. It goes back to the time CCC was first set up. It was labeled then as a relief agency, and \$22 of every boy's \$30 monthly wage was sent home to the folks to help keep the corner grocery going during the depression. CCC is still considered a relief agency by most of its critics and as relief in any form is now unpopular, the CCC suffers for mital association.

When defense talk began to get a little hot, there was agitation from some militarists to make the CCC a purely military training school. CCC Director James J. McEntee spiked that one before the selective service law was passed. If the country was to have compulsory military service, said McEntee, then military training for CCC would be all right, but until there was selective service, it seemed unfair to single out boys from the poorer families and make them the first front line recruits for a war. It was a sound argument, but in spite of it, CCC's reputation began to suffer as an unmilitary and therefore to some people an unnecessary organization.

Taken From Army

Then CCC was taken from the Army, which had administered it, and put in the Federal Security Agency along with the National Youth Administration. That was almost fatal. NYA had a bad name and was open to criticism on so many counts that the association of CCC did it more harm than good. And when economy programs were advanced, the two outfits were put under the same axe.

There have been some changes that CCC was recruiting its members, but this CCC denies. The organization has never spent a dime of its own funds on recruiting, leaving the enrolling of its members entirely to the state welfare agencies, who were charged with picking only

the country is flat and barren, pocketed with marsh and undraining swamps. It is no military secret that the weather, standard topic of conversation for all (and invariably described by the natives as "very unusual"), is damp and fickle—though not as cold as many expected. Up here they tell you about the man who missed last week. The spring which bathes the Maine-like countryside with snow-melting sun in the morning re-coverts the hills in a swirling flurry of white before that night's moon pierces the fog which still rolls in from the Grand Banks at sea.

No, this is not the spot you'd pick to retire to. Life is hard. Without exception, the thing most ardently desired by all the men here is a leave, a trip back home. But on the whole the men are making the best of a situation which all admit might be a great deal worse. For these are soldiers. And this is war.

MacArthur Aide



Maj. Gen. Julian F. Barnes has been named commander of U. S. Army forces in Australia by Gen. Douglas MacArthur. (U. S. Army photo from NEA.)

are turned down by the Army for physical deficiencies. CCC directors claim they can help these men, particularly those who are illiterate or underweight, and make them good material for the Army.

Make Reduction

CCC's main justification for its own continuance, however, is that it sincerely believes it has a job to do. Today, there are some 600 CCC camps in operation. At the height of the depression, there were 2500 camps, with 200 men to the camp. CCC has cut down. It will cut down further, perhaps to 350 camps.

Furthermore, CCC is making itself as much of an Army auxiliary as it can. It has built Army camps and military roads and airports. It has 115 camps on military reservations today, doing labor battalion jobs that relieve soldiers for strictly military duty.

CCC's second big job is in the forest areas, largely in the west, where it has 177 camps for reforestation and fire fighting. These camps and the ones on military reservations account for about half of the present CCC strength.

All other types of CCC camps are being discontinued as fast as their current soil conservation, park

boys from relief families, boys who could not get jobs in private industry. And any CCC enrollee must leave if he's offered a job.

If Congress had changed the selective service law to take in boys from 18 to 20 years old as Army officers wanted the law changed, there would probably be no CCC today. But Congress has repeatedly refused to lower the draft age below 20, and for that reason there is still the problem of what to do with the boys of from 17 to 20, of which there are some nine million. There is, too, the problem of what to do with the younger men who

Hope Women to Organize

All women within the are of Hope who are interested in organizing a home demonstration club within Hope so that the Hope women may have assistance in food and nutrition, food preservation work, please come to the city hall Friday, May 15th at 2 p. m. war time. Miss Mary Claude Fletcher, home demonstration agent, will meet with the group and can give you a schedule for meeting each month at a regular time.

This is another way for women to help with the war efforts. All interested persons are urged to come.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the kindness shown us during the death of our husband and son.

Mrs. Paris Phillips
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Phillips

Thirty-five hours in the air is the minimum required to obtain a private pilot's license.

area, wildlife area, grazing or reclamation projects are completed. The fun will begin when the congressmen begin to find out about that.

Washington Punishment

Snappy, swinking-eyed James J. McEntee has taken a terrific amount of punishment lately as director of CCC in having to justify his boys before congress economy and appropriations committees. McEntee has never moved his family from their New Jersey home to Washington, where he came to take a temporary relief job.

But the other day, after Mrs. McEntee had read all the accounts of how her husband was raked over the congressional coals, she called him up with ire in her voice. "What do you take all that for?" she wanted to know. "Come on home to your wife and children." But Mr. Mac will stick it out. A good CCC man never quits till the job is done.

RHEUMATISM

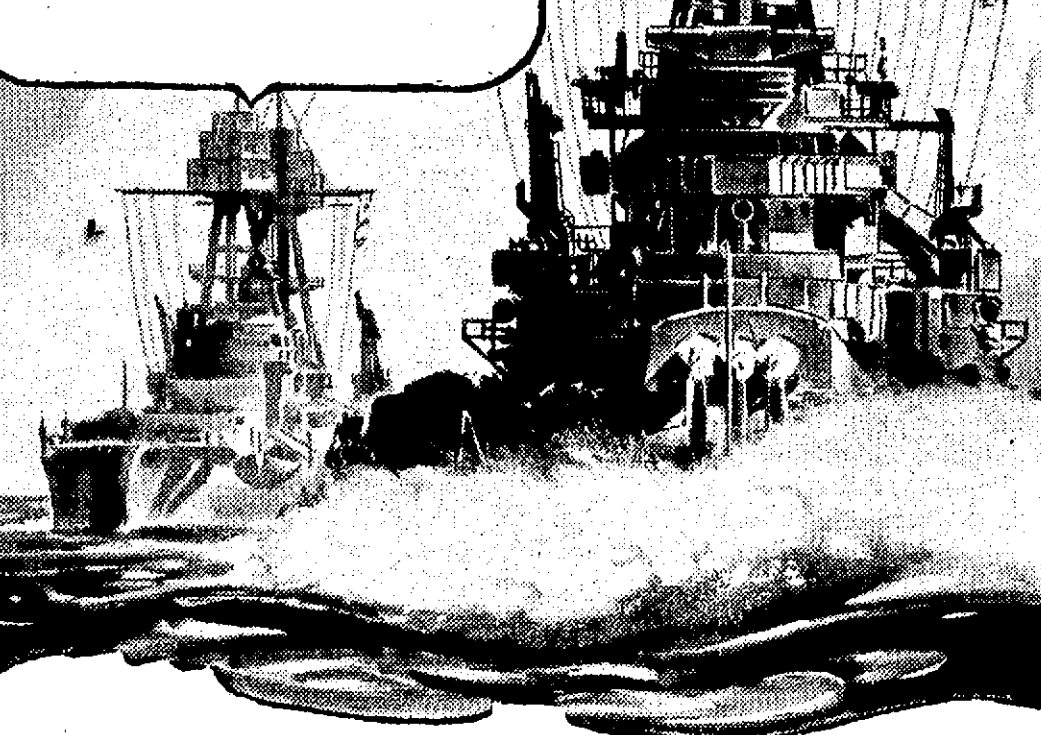
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War material shortage limits telephone service



You probably have heard about certain government restrictions on telephone service and equipment now in effect. We should like to tell you a little more about these restrictions—why they are necessary, and what they will mean to you.

The reason for them is simple and complete. They are to save materials which are needed to fight the war.

What will they mean to you, the telephone user?

If you have a telephone now, they mean no change except that you might in some places and under some circumstances have to have other parties on your line. And you can't get an extension telephone in your home if you haven't one already.*

For people who have no telephones and want them, we shall supply at least party-line service wherever there are now enough lines and switchboards. But in general, where new construction of this type would be necessary, we shall not be able to provide service.*

This will mean inconvenience and perhaps hardship to a few people now. As time goes on it will probably mean inconvenience and hardship to more people, but we need your help and sympathetic understanding in this important step to save the maximum of materials for the war.

Beside the great savings in materials already made by substitution and wartime engineering, the new restrictions will mean that more lead, iron, steel, zinc, copper, and rubber used in telephone equipment will now go into arms.

In spite of all this, and while telephone service may not be available to all who want it, we believe we can keep the service up to a high standard. At any rate, we shall do our level best. These difficulties are something that neither the government nor the telephone companies can help. They are part of the price of protecting liberty.

*Except for those cases where the need for telephone service has been recognized by the War Production Board as necessary for defense or public health, welfare or security.

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